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This is a Response in the above-identified patent application in response to an Office Action dated June 26, 2002. This response is timely.

In the Specification, page 10, beginning on line 11 please enter the following new paragraph:

Each of the louvers 31 include an opening shown as an oblong slot 35 through which a vertical elevation cord 37 extends. The vertical elevation cord 37 extends through a relatively small aperture 39 at the top of the base louver 19 and extends through the bore 21. Ideally, the lower ends of the vertical elevation cords 37 may be secured by forming a knot 40 after the vertical elevation cords 37 pass through plug 23 in order that the suspension of the base louver 19 further act to keep the plug 23 in the bore 21. Ideally the excess length of the vertical elevation cords 37 will be tied into a bundle for shipping purposes as it is intended for cord and louver assembly 15 to be